

LATEST NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

ROUGH RIDING
AT SPA TRACKPunishment Meted Out Is
Too Light.

MICHAELS LATEST OFFENDER

Rode Princess Eris—Pittsburg Phil
Backed Five Winners and
Hit Pencilers Hard.

SARATOGA, Aug. 23.—The officials had two cases of fouling to handle yesterday, and in one of them they found grounds sufficient to disqualify.

It is a pity to find this at the back end of a meeting such as this one here has been, but it really looks as if the boys had become reckless and were willing to take any sort of a chance to win a race. The officials are aware of the harm that is being done and are eager to end the trouble, but it seems that they are not severe enough in their punishment. They have suspended three boys for the remainder of the meeting—that is, Phillips and Daly on Saturday, and Michaels yesterday, and they will probably explain their leniency on the score that the end of the meeting is the limit of their power.

This is correct in a way, but they have the right with these suspensions to suggest that the cases be taken up by the Jockey Club, and this might bring a penalty severe enough to frighten others that are taking the same chances. It is really up to a point where heroic measures must be taken. For some time back it has been evident that the jockeys were drifting into a way that would make foul riding a habit rather than an accident of a race. Had the halt been called early, matters would have improved, but the great number of cases that seem to have been passed has brought the practice to a stage where the stars as well as the novices are taking chances.

Shut Off Raiment.

Michael's offense was in the fifth race, in which he rode Princess Eris. Rounding the far turn he shut off Odom on Raiment, and this all but caused Palm Bee to fall. Luckily both colts were able to keep on their feet, but it severely affected their chances; in fact, it can be said that it deprived Raiment of first money. Odom, who rode Raiment, was very prompt in making his complaint, and the stewards were prompt in disqualifying the filly and meting out sentence to Michaels.

Daly's Offense.

There is a chance, of course, that this case was one of accident, rather than deliberate intention, but the same cannot be said of Daly's ride of Claude on Saturday. The fine on the short suspension in this case do not appear to fill the bill, in fact, if the evil is to be stopped, it must be made an offense in which extreme preventives must be applied. At Sheephead Bay the fields are sure to be of goodly proportions, and before the first race on Saturday some one should have a heart to heart talk with the riders. Make them understand what is expected of them and tell them that the first to break the rule will lose his license for the rest of the year, and it is very apt to bring an improvement that is badly needed.

The other foul came in the steeplechase, but in this case the officials did not think there were grounds enough to warrant a disqualification, and the public took the same view.

The last race was run in a rain so heavy that it was really impossible to see the horses, and the officials were backed out. When they did come into sight they were well in the last furlong and Conking, the winner, was in front.

Later his rider said that he had been in the lead or thereabouts the entire distance. The favorite, Lady Potentate, did not even get a share of the purse, which was not surprising, as the deluge which had fallen rained any horse who she had. That she had backed her at odds-on thought the price a good one, but when the rain began, which it did just after the bugle had blown, they knew that their money was wasted. Conking was not a bad horse, but he was acting for Joe Yeager in the race for Griffin's claiming of Jane Holly the other day.

Yeager Backed Winner.

Yeager was not at the track, and will not return. Before leaving he left a big commission to be placed on De Reekie, and won his bet. John W. Gates heard of this play, and went with it, despite the entreaties of his friend John A. Drake to play Bobadil. The two horses finished head and head, and Sperling, on Drake's horse, had but one stirrup. But for this accident there might have been another tale to tell, for his horse won by swerving out all through the home stretch.

Pittsburg Phil made quite a clean-up during the afternoon. He started in on Ishlana in the first race, which he backed at 8 to 1, and passed the steeplechase, then got busy again and made his score on a clean one. The first game began at 2 p. m. and the second will begin ten minutes after the first.

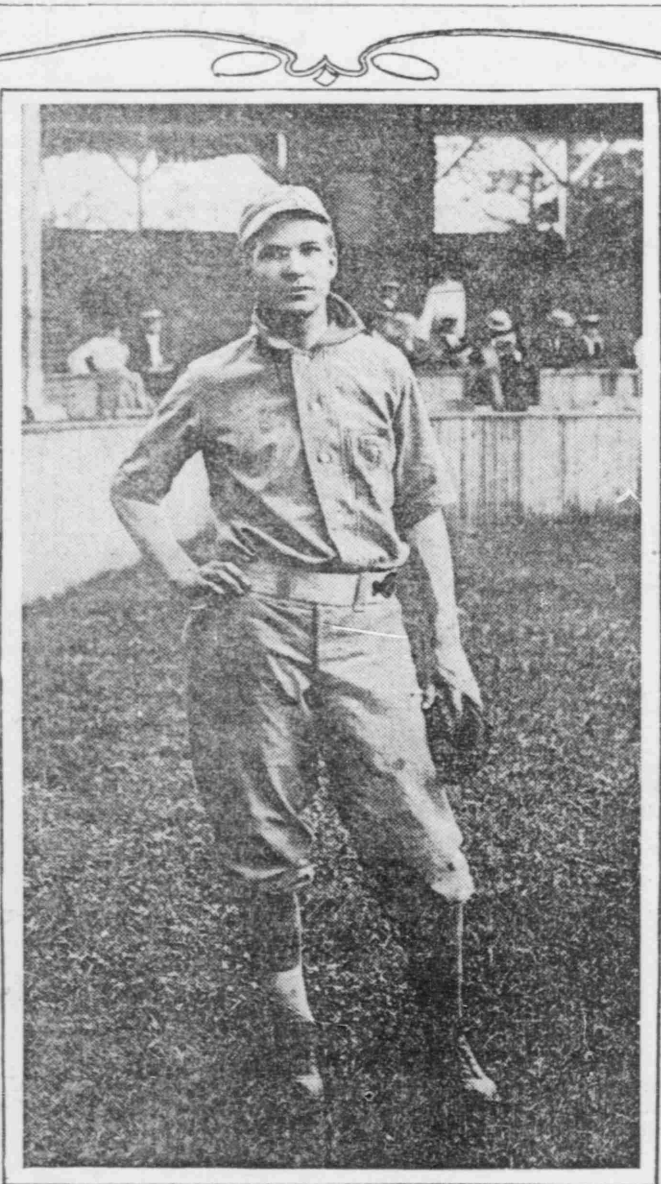
Mullin and Kilian are expected to do the twirling for the visitors, while Jacobson and Townsend will probably do the honors for the home team.

DISTRICT HAS BOUGHT
ANOTHER SCHOOL SITE

The District has bought a school site on Benning Road, at the corner of Nineteenth Street northeast, embracing 51,000 square feet. It is known as the west half of block 23, in Rosedale and Isherwood subdivisions.

The cost of the new school lot was \$11,610, and it was bought from Mary A. Emery and William V. Cox, trustees of the estate of the late Matthew C. Emery.

CHARLEY KING



CAPTAIN OF FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN TEAM.

His First Base Work Has Been a Feature in the Sunday School League.

LIVESTOCK SHOW
ON AT ST. LOUIS

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PRIZES AMOUNT TO \$400,000

Horse Department Has 1,600 Entries.
Harness and Saddle Nags Predominating—Forum Seats 11,000.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 23.—The World's Fair livestock show has opened to continue until November 4, and is one of the principal features of the Exposition.

The scope of this enterprise, which extends to every department of livestock, ranging from cattle and horses down to Belgian hares, exceeds that of any other event in the history of livestock shows. The total valuation of the prizes to be awarded is placed at \$400,000. The list of jurors appointed to judge the several exhibits includes the names of the foremost men in the livestock world. The livestock forum, where all the events are scheduled to take place, is the largest arena ever erected for livestock show purposes.

Interest in Horses.

Great interest is centered on the exhibit of horses, the first of the series of livestock shows, which opens tomorrow. In number of entries this exhibit exceeds that of the Columbian Exposition by over 100 per cent.

Among the large list of 1,600 entries, which includes the best stallions and mares of both continents, the harness and saddle nags will predominate. The livestock buildings cover over 200 acres. The forum, the largest building on the livestock grounds, is 250 by 500 feet and has a seating capacity of 11,000.

CLOSE GAME SHOULD
REWARD SPECTATORSFourth and Sixth Play Off Postponed
Match This Afternoon on Mount
Pleasant Grounds.

The Mount Pleasant grounds will be the scene of a good ball game this afternoon, when the Sixth and Fourth Presbyterian teams play off a game that was postponed on account of rain.

This game should be all right, for the sixth boys have been forging for the top ever since the reorganization, which took place some time ago.

Another thing that will prove of interest to the fans is that probably the best two first sack men of the league—Typhum and King—will play on the different teams.

King, as everyone knows who has followed the league and its happenings, is an exceptionally good ball player and understands the game from beginning to end. He is captain of the Fourth, and will probably get the thousand-dollar insurance policy that goes to the captain of the team winning the pennant.

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BETTING LIGHT AT 10 TO 3

Jeffries Threatens to Clear Up Deep,
Dark Mystery About Fight
at Butte.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—"Kid" McCoy has given Jack Munroe his official try-out. The miner boxed fifteen fast rounds with various members of his staff and pulled up so fresh that McCoy became enthusiastic.

"He is the most willing pupil I have ever had," said McCoy. "His condition is perfect, and he is ready for a short and bruising contest or a long one."

No betting has been done yet on the coming fight, but the indications are that Jeffries will be a 10 to 1 favorite. Jeffries put in a day of hard work at the Reliance Club in Oakland. His morning stunt in the gymnasium lasted three hours, and he was going all the time. The day was cold and raw, and toward evening the champion took a long jog on the road.

A Horrid Mystery.

"After next Friday," Jeffries said today, "I will tell my side of the Butte incident. The sporting world has heard how Munroe beat me to my knees and had me hanging to the ropes, but my version may prove of equal interest. I am going to give the full facts about that little affair and make clear some things that have so far puzzled the readers of fight dope."

"It is, of course, possible that my work Friday night will make further comment on my part useless, but I think the truth of that matter should be placed before the public."

NEWS FROM GEORGETOWN.

HURT IN A MANHOLE.

While Wilson Young, a colored laborer, was working in a manhole at the corner of Potomac and M Streets northwest, the heavy iron cover fell in upon him, inflicting painful injuries. He was carried to the Georgetown Hospital, corner Thirty-fifth and N Streets northwest, in the patrol wagon of the Seventh precinct, where the wounds were dressed.

HORSE RUNS AWAY.

A horse attached to a delivery wagon belonging to Joseph Kengla, of Wisconsin Avenue northwest, became frightened and dashed up P Street. On turning the corner of Thirty-fifth Street, the horse collided with a letter box fastened to a lamp-post completely demolishing it. The horse was stopped before further damage resulted.

COMES FROM PHILADELPHIA.

The Rev. Father Hollin, S. J., who succeeds the Rev. Father F. X. Mulvey as pastor of Trinity Catholic Church, corner Thirty-sixth and O Streets northwest, is from St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia. Several years ago he was transferred to Philadelphia from Georgetown University, where he was prefect. Father Hollin arrived here a few days ago and has already assumed his duties. Father Mulvey left this morning for his new charge at Bowie, Md.

SHAMROCKS LEADING.

The Shamrocks, who are leading the Georgetown juvenile league in the pennant race, have already attained an average sufficient to carry off the honors this season. Their victory over the Wizards last Friday practically ended the contest for the banner. The game was played on the Georgetown field, the score being 4 to 2.

GONE TO ATLANTIC CITY.

Anthony Hanlon, of 1223 Thirty-fourth Street northwest, has gone to Atlantic City for several weeks. During the summer, Hanlon's health was greatly improved.

WAGON IN COLLISION.

A large delivery wagon owned by J. E. Dyer, of M Street, near Thirty-fourth, collided with the front porch of a house on Thirty-third Street, near the corner of M, yesterday morning, badly damaging same.

LEANDER KILLED
IN PARIS RACESNoted Cyclist Meets Death While Traveling Behind Motor Cyclette at
Terrific Speed.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—George Leander, of Chicago, the well-known American cyclist, is dead as the result of an accident at Parc Priees. The accident occurred while he was riding behind a motor cyclette, which was traveling at the rate, it is stated, of ninety-two kilometers (about fifty-seven miles) and hour.

Leander had been before the public a number of years as an expert follower of motor race, and won many races. Last year he spoiled his championship chances by inefficient training, and did not do as well as his friends expected. He was married, and has two children, a son and a daughter. He was a third in the national paced circuit championship.

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Georgetown Linemen
Practice Next WeekCoach Reilly Calls Them Out for a Few
Weight Reducing Stunts—New Center
Unearthed in Pascall.

The first preliminary practice for the candidates for the Georgetown football team has been set for next week. Official practice will begin on September 14, but as Dr. Reilly, the graduate coach, is quite anxious to get the linemen in condition before that time, he intends to get as many of the candidates who live in this city out on the heights to put them through a course of sprouts to reduce their weight and teach them to start quickly. The work will consist principally of running and passing and catching the oval.

Three Gaps to Fill.

As there will be three gaps in the varsity line to be filled next fall Dr. Reilly is most anxious to get his forwards out as early as possible to get a line on what sort of big material will be available.

Personal Comment on Men and
Things in the Field of Sports

While it is denied that there is a factional fight between the older of the Phillies players and the youngsters, it is asserted that Hulsitt broke his hand in a fight with Jack Doyle. Doyle has been released.

Ned Sawyer, the golf player, is not yet twenty-one years of age.

Jeffries says he will knock Munroe out in "a minute and a half."

The Buffalo-Baltimore double-header at Baltimore Saturday drew 12,347 people.

Sam Craig Won a Race at Last.

Barney Dreyfuss is willing to let Pittsburgh play a post-season series with the American League champions if the Giants back out.

Figures compiled in Detroit show that up to July 8 the National League teams played to a total attendance of 1,463,347, and the American League to 1,325,561. According to these figures also the New York Americans in the time specified played to a total attendance of 27,373 abroad, more than any other team in either league played to abroad.

"Rabbit" Robinson swatted a three-bagger off Cy Young out in Detroit the other day and won the game for the Tigers. When the "Shrimp" got around as a third some young lady in the crowd stood arose and shouted: "Oh, you sweet little thing!" Robinson hopped on the field five minutes after the other players were in the clubhouse trying to find out who his admirer was, but was unsuccessful.

John Clarkson called upon his brother, Walter, while the New Yorks were in Detroit, and the "Tribune" said of him: Tall and straight, as clean cut in form as when he was the idol of the bleachers. Clarkson shows his age only in the threads of gray which have sprinkled his mustache and hair. He is still an enthusiast in baseball, although his days of active participation in the game are over.

Louis Long and Eddie Hanlon may be matched to fight at Spokane, September 15.

Jockey Redfern says he will be in shape to ride Synobry in the Futurity on Saturday.

Manager Hugh Jennings, of the Baltimore club, will be out of the game for several weeks.

Tommy Burns, of Chicago, stopped Cyclone Kelly in four rounds at Tacoma Friday.

Leach, the Pittsburgh third baseman, will probably be unable to play for the balance of the season.

Kid Parker, of Denver, and Perry Queenan, of Salt Lake, have been matched by Manager King, of the Walla Walla Athletic Club, for a ten-round boxing contest on August 25. Each has had a decision over the other and this go will settle which is the better man.

There is said to be a deal on between the Brooklyn and St. Louis National League clubs, whereby Pitcher Jones will go to the Cardinals for Pitcher McFarland, Catcher O'Neill and Outfielder Barclay.

The weight in the match between Sam Langford and Joe Walcott, when they met at Manchester, has been set for 142 pounds at 12 o'clock, noon, and the articles call for them to be in the ring at 3 p. m. ready to box for the welterweight championship of the world. Owen Kenny has been selected to referee.

Sprint races have been given a fair trial at the Brighton Beach and Empire City tracks this season, and the

Pascall, the big fellow who for two years was center at Lehigh, will be a candidate for snapper back. Last season he served his one year of probation, and as he will be in the second year in the law school next term, he is eligible. Pascall is greatly overweight at present, but a couple of weeks in charge of the graduate coach should get him in condition to put up a stiff fight for one of the line positions.

Nell, a new candidate for guard, is another man who is expected here before the beginning of the year, also Stanley, the stroke of the varsity crew, who has announced his intention of trying for tackle or guard.

Captain Mahoney is not expected back before September 1, but as he is already in condition, he will be able to commence practice with the back field candidates.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

American League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	61	40	.604
Boston	62	43	.594
Chicago	63	48	.568
Athletics	58	41	.588
Cleveland	56	45	.554
Detroit	44	57	.436
St. Louis	40	59	.404
Washington	22	79	.218

National League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	73	30	.709
Chicago	65	40	.619
Pittsburg	62	42	.598
Cincinnati	63	46	.578
St. Louis	58	50	.537
Coston	41	68	.376
Brooklyn	37	79	.346
Philadelphia	28	79	.262

Eastern League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Buffalo	58	37	.611
Baltimore	47	37	.566
Newark	51	43	.543
Jersey City	42	44	.488
Montreal	45	46	.511
Toronto	51	51	.500
Providence	40	62	.392
Rochester	29	69	.294

TODAY'S GAMES.

American League.
Detroit at Washington (2 games).
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.

National League.
New York at Pittsburg.

Eastern League.
Montreal at Baltimore.
Buffalo at Providence.
Toronto at Newark.
Jersey City at Rochester.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
Washington-Detroit—Rain.
Athletics 3; Cleveland, 1.
Boston, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Boston, 3; St. Louis, 0.
New York, 4; Chicago, 2.

National League.
Boston, 7; Chicago, 5.
St. Louis, 13; Brooklyn, 2.
Pittsburg-New York—Rain.

Eastern League.
Baltimore, 4; Buffalo, 2.
Jersey City, 2; Montreal, 2.
Newark, 3; Rochester, 1.
Rochester, 6; Newark, 2.
Toronto, 4; Providence, 3.
Toronto, 11; Providence, 2.

CAPITAL CITY LEAGUE
SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

The schedule of the Capital City League for the present week is:
Tuesday—Turner vs. Gonzaga, Georgetown College; St. Stephen's vs. Library, White Lot.
Wednesday—Woodward & Lothrop vs. St. Stephen's, White Lot.
Thursday—Turner vs. Library, Fourteenth and D Streets northeast.
Friday—Turner vs. Gonzaga, Fourteenth and D Streets northeast; Woodward & Lothrop vs. Library, White Lot.
Saturday—Carroll Institute vs. Library, White Lot.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Young Princeton defeated the Potomac Stars on the former's grounds by the score of 15 to 4. The feature of the game was the triple play in the seventh inning, which ended the game. The Young Princeton want games with teams averaging from thirteen to fifteen years. Address Richard Brown, 717 Twenty-third Street northwest.

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